#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Commissioners McCarty, Hadley, Landis, Ripley and Ziegner

FROM: Jerry L. Webb, Director of Gas/Water/Sewer Division

DATE: August 5, 2004

RE: Utility Articles for Next Conference

The following Final Articles A, C and M are submitted to each of you to acquaint you with the tariffs eligible for action or acceptance on or after August 11, 2004.

## "A" Final

The following miscellaneous item will be eligible for final consideration at the next Commission Conference and based on a review of it by staff members of the Commission, I recommend approval.

## 1. Richmond Power & Light (Electric)

The utility seeks approval of Rider EE, which would establish a new rate for "Earth Energy." Earth Energy is the name given by the utility for what is commonly referred to as "green power." The utility is in the process of developing a landfill gas project, but it can also obtain green power from its wholesale energy supplier, the Indiana Municipal Power Agency ("IMPA"). Rider EE will be available to all residential, commercial and industrial customers in 100 kWh blocks. The minimum number of 100 kWh blocks a customer must purchase varies by rate class; for residential customers the minimum is one 100 kWh block. Under Rider EE, monthly charges for energy and demand to serve the customer's load will be assessed pursuant to the utility's standard service tariffs, plus an additional charge of 1.5 cents per kWh. The utility's proposed 1.5 cents per kWh rate for Earth Energy mirrors the rate its wholesale energy supplier, IMPA, charges the utility for "green power."

The tariff sheet affected by this filing is:

"Optional Contract Rider EE"

# "C" Finals

In order to maintain parity and be in compliance with the Commission's Final Order in Cause No. 39369 issued June 2, 1993, the following local exchange carrier has filed an intrastate access parity tariff mirroring its respective interstate equivalent. The requirements prescribed for this filing in Commission Order No. 39369 have been carried out and I recommend approval.

# Federal Communications Commission

<u>Item</u>	Local Exchange Carrier	Transmittal <u>Number</u>	File <u>Date</u>	Effective <u>Date</u>
1.	IBT d/b/a SBC Indiana	1401	07-23-04	07-24-04

# "M" Final

A revision to the power cost tracker for electric utilities has been reviewed by staff members of the Commission and found to be in compliance with the orders of the Commission. The requirements prescribed for these filings in Commission Order No. 40095 have been met and I recommend approval.

<u>ltem</u>	<u>Utility</u>	Rate Schedule	Change \$/kWh	Resultant <u>\$/kWh</u>	Filing #
1.	Mishawaka Municipal	Residential Commercial Commercial Power Comm. Elec. Heat Municipal	,	0.001262 0.001771 (0.002502) 0.005441 (0.001340)	37

Please indicate your consideration an provided below.	d action of all the preceding items on the appropriate lines
-	Jerry L. Webb Director of Gas/Water/Sewer Division
I approve of all items as presented abo	ovo:
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I approve of all items as presented about	ove except:
Not participating in the following items	S:
I,	, Disapprove Items
No.	Wish to Defer Items
I, No.	, Wish to Defer items
I hereby certify that the above is a true	e and correct copy of the action on the articles.
Nancy E. Manley, Executive Secretary	y